



## Lois Gibson

October 20, 1916 - September 22, 2011

A graveside service for Lois Juanita Gibson, 95, of Richardson, will be held on Saturday, September 24, 2011 at 3:00 PM at Cathedral in the Pines Cemetery with Rev. Rob Fisher, Rev. Enid Shepard and Rev. Stephanie Scott officiating. A visitation will be at 2:00 PM, one hour prior at Stewart Family Funeral Home, Tyler, 7525 Old Jacksonville Hwy. Mrs. Gibson passed away, Thursday, September 22, 2011 in Richardson. She was born October 20, 1916 to the late Brooks and Etta Brown of Lindale. She was a long time resident of Hooks where she was a charter member of the Hooks United Methodist Church. Mrs. Gibson served twice as President of the United Methodist Women's Organization in the church. She was an excellent cook and enjoyed sharing with others of her community when needs arose. Mrs. Gibson was employed by Belk Jones Department Store and became department head of women's wear. She later worked for a private employment agency in Texarkana for several years. In 1999, she and her husband moved to Tyler to be closer to their family. She resided in Richardson since 2008 where she enjoyed her stay at Appletree Court Assisted Living. In addition to her parents, Mrs. Gibson was preceded in death by her husband of 69 years, William J. Gibson, a brother and sister-in-law, Thomas B. and Doris M. Brown of New Boston, and brother, Herbert Brown of New Orleans, LA. She is survived by her loving family including daughters and sons-in-law, Linda and Lyndon Stodghill of Richardson, Betty and Paul Hanna and a grandson and wife, Ryan and Shanla Hanna, and a step-great-granddaughter, Chelsea, all

of Tyler; sister-in-law, Madonna Abrams of New Orleans, LA; two nephews, Thomas Brown of Aiken SC and Jim and Vicki Brown of Spring, Texas. She is also survived by three great nieces and many friends. Memorials in honor of Lois Gibson may be made to Hooks United Methodist Church, Box 897, Hooks, 75561, the Alzheimers Alliance of Smith County, 211 Winchester, Tyler 75701 or Pollard United Methodist Church 3030 Copeland Road, Tyler, 75701. For more information or to express condolences, visit [www.stewartfamilyfuneral.com](http://www.stewartfamilyfuneral.com).

# Tribute Wall

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“ *Linda: Every time I saw your mother it made me think of my own mother. Those two cousins were peas in a pod.*

*Love,  
Norm*

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**Norman Mayes** - September 22, 2011 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Dear Tom and Family,*

*We did not know Lois, but Tom talked so fondly of her that we felt we did know her. We wish you well as you recover from your loss.*

*Sincerely,*

*Bob and Ann*

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**Bob and Ann Prather** - September 22, 2011 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Gibson Family,*

*Your parents were great neighbors and friends when we lived in Hooks. They continued to be valued friends even when I moved away and they moved.*

*I am sorry that I won't be able to make the memorial service. I will be thinking and praying that you find comfort in knowing they will be with Martha again.*

*Walter and Betsy*

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**Walter Johnson** - September 22, 2011 at 12:00 AM